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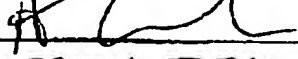
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Application No. 10/706,784

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Confirmation No. 7166

For: COLLAPSIBLE FLEXIBLE PIPE AND
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SAME

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as being attached or enclosed herewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

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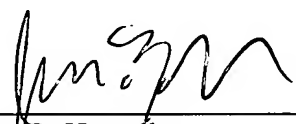
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)

Wellstream International Limited states that it is an Assignee of the patent application identified above by virtue of an Assignment from an inventor of the patent application identified above.

☒ A copy of the Assignment is attached. This Assignment was recorded on Reel 014684, Frames 0338-0341.

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I,

(1) Peter George Bennett of Morpeth, United Kingdom

have invented certain improvements in

COLLAPSIBLE FLEXIBLE PIPE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SAME

and filed a United States patent application therefor on the following date(s):

(1) November 12, 2003, Serial No. 10/706,784

WHEREAS, **WELLSTREAM INTERNATIONAL LIMITED**, a company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales, having a place of business at Wellstream House, Wincomblee Road, Walker Riverside, Newcastle upon Tyne NE6 3PF, United Kingdom (hereinafter called "**WELLSTREAM**"), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I, the above named, hereby acknowledge my prior existing obligation and hereby sell, assign, and transfer to **WELLSTREAM**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisionals, renewals, continuing applications thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to **WELLSTREAM**, its successors and assigns; and I hereby agree that **WELLSTREAM** may apply for foreign Letters Patent on the invention and I will execute all

papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by
WELLSTREAM.

Signed and sealed:

(1) P. G. Bennett
Peter George Bennett

18 May 2004
Date

Witness by:

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